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Applicant(s): Lee Bindeman

Title: Method and System for Controlling Hourglass

Deformations of Solid Elements in Finite Element

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Response to Notice of Allowance

In response to the Notice of Allowance and Issue Fee Due mailed Jan. 30, 2008, Applicant submits the following items:

- A copy of Issue Fee Transmittal (Form PTOL-85);
- 2. Issue fee of \$720 via the Office EFS; and
- 3. FIG. 4A to be used in the cover sheet of the patent to be issued.

Applicant appreciates the Examiner for allowing this application. It is hereby respectfully submitted that the enclosed items complete the requirement for the issuance of the above-identified application. Please contact the undersigned at (408)255-6853, if there are any questions.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being transmitted to the Commissioner for Patents via the Office Electronic Filing System on the date stated below.

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